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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application

Inventors: Daniel A. Babbs et al.
SC/Serial No.: 09/760,147
Confirm. No.: 2364
Filed: January 12, 2001
Title: WORKPIECE SORTER
OPERATING WITH MODULAR
BARE WORKPIECE
STOCKERS AND/OR CLOSED
CONTAINER STOCKERS

PATENT APPLICATION

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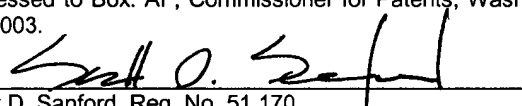
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RESPONSE C UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.116

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Sir:

This RESPONSE C is in reply to the Office Action mailed January 22, 2003. No fee is due for the addition of any new claims.

Amendments

Please amend the above-identified application as follows:

In the Claims:

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §1.121(c)(1), please amend claims 1-8. and 10-11. As required by required by 37 C.F.R. §1.121(c)(1)(i), all amended claims are reproduced